

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : CRIMINAL NO. 2:23-cr-00168-01

VERSUS : JUDGE JAMES D. CAIN, JR.

LUKE EMMETT JOSEPH : MAGISTRATE JUDGE LEBLANC


JUDGMENT

Before the court is a Report and Recommendation [doc. 50] of the Magistrate Judge, recommending that the defendant's guilty plea be accepted. After considering the record and noting the defendant's waiver of objections, the Court finds that the plea is correct under applicable law. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED that the Report and Recommendation be **ADOPTED** and that the defendant be finally adjudged guilty of the offenses charged in Count 1 of the Indictment.

Sentencing is set for July 11, 2024, at 10:00 a.m., before the undersigned in Lake Charles, Louisiana. Defendant's presentencing memorandum is due 14 days before the sentencing hearing, and any response by the government is due 7 days thereafter.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Chambers on this 13th day of March, 2024.


JAMES D. CAIN, JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE